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January 25, 2008

BY FAX

Honorable Gabriel W. Gorenstein
United States Magistrate Judge
Southern District of New York
United States Courthouse
500 Pearl Street
New York, New York 10007

Re: United States v. Jose Angel Gonzales, 08 Cr. 34 ()

Dear Judge Gorenstein:

The defendant charged in the above-referenced sealed indictment was arrested in Arizona and is going to be presented before a judicial officer there. The Government respectfully requests that this indictment be unsealed and wheeled out to a District Judge here.

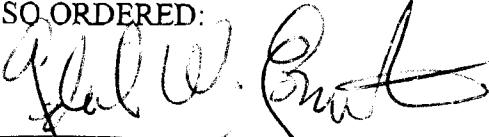
Respectfully submitted,

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SO ORDERED:


Honorable Gabriel W. Gorenstein
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